



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 5295**

LCO No. 671

Referred to Committee on Environment

Introduced by:

REP. CARON, 44<sup>th</sup> Dist.

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**AN ACT CONCERNING ENERGY EFFICIENCY STANDARDS FOR  
STATE-FINANCED CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 16a-38 of the general statutes be amended to require the
- 2 Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management and the
- 3 Commissioner of Economic and Community Development to adopt
- 4 regulations establishing energy efficiency standards that are at least as
- 5 stringent as the Silver Leadership in Energy and Environmental
- 6 Design's Rating System for any project that is funded at a rate of fifty
- 7 per cent or higher from state funds.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To raise minimum energy efficiency standards for state-funded projects to meet or exceed the Silver Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design Rating System.